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SUBJ: IAEA'S PANEL OF EXPERTS' REPORT ON OCEAN DUMPING

REF: (A) STATE 001074; (B) STATE A-9894; (C) IAEA VIENNA 10184;  
(D) IAEA VIENNA 0104

1. IN RESPONSE QUERY REFTEL D, AND WITH RESPECT QUESTIONS (A)  
"MORE DESCRIPTIVE DEFINITION OF HIGH-LEVEL RADIOACTIVE WASTES"  
AND (B) "MORE PRECISE EXPRESSION OF DE MINIMIS CONCEPT",  
U.S. WOULD NOT WANT SEE BOARD CONSIDERATION OF PANEL RECOMMEND-  
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ATIONS DELAYED BY CONVENING OF PANEL SOLELY CONSIDER THESE TWO  
QUESTIONS. U.S. BELIEVES, HOWEVER, THAT FOR REASONS SET FORTH

IN REFTTEL A RE PARA 21 OF REFTTEL C, IDEALLY THESE TWO QUESTIONS SHOULD BE CONSIDERED BY THE COUNTRIES REPRESENTED AT JUNE 1973 PANEL FOR INCLUSION IN FINAL PANEL RECOMMENDATIONS PRIOR THEIR SUBMISSION BY DG TO BOARD. IF THESE TWO QUESTIONS NOT CONSIDERED, OR IF IT IS NOT FEASIBLE FOR PANEL DEAL WITH THESE ISSUES CONCLUSIVELY, U.S. RECOMMENDS THAT, SUBSEQUENT TO BOARD CONSIDERATION OF REVISED RECOMMENDATIONS, FURTHER REFINEMENTS IHE REVISED RECOMMENDATIONS INCLUDING THE TWO QUESTIONS AT ISSUE BE CONSIDERED AT A FUTURE PANEL MEETING OF PARTICIPANTS.

2. COMMENTS TRANSMITTED REFTTEL A RE PARA 17 OMITTED SOME LANGUAGE AS ORIGINALLY DRAFTED. COMMENTS SHOULD READ QUOTE WITH INCORPORATION OF NEW ITEM (3) IN SECTION 3.2 PER REF AIR B AND AS NOTED IN PARA 16 REFTTEL C, IT WOULD PROBABLY BE BETTER COMPLETELY DELETE PHRASE "ENVIRONMENTAL MONITORING FOR SAFETY PURPOSES IS UNNECESSARY" AND REVISE LAST SENTENCE TO READ, FOR EXAMPLE, "... ENVIRONMENTAL MONITORING TO FULFILL THE ABOVE FUNCTIONS IS RECOMMENDED." UNQUOTE.

3. MISSION REQUESTED ADVISE IF COMMENTS HAVE BEEN SUBMITTED AGENCY BY COUNTRIES OTHER THAN THOSE PREVIOUSLY REPORTED.  
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